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AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER C.F.R. §1.111

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This amendment is being submitted in response to the Office Action mailed July 10, 2007. Applicant hereby petitions for a three-month extension of time. The time for reply has been duly extended to January 10, 2008.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 8 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 23 of this paper.